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For: Cane Holder

Enclosed are:

- 7 sheets of drawings (FIGS. 1 - 25).
- 43 pages of specification including 4 pages of claims (1 - 18) and 1 page abstract.
- A combined declaration and power of attorney.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.
- An executed Nonpublication Request Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i).

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SMALL ENTITY

RATE	Fee
	\$ 370.00
X \$ 9 =	\$
X \$ 40 =	\$
+ \$130 =	\$
TOTAL	\$ 370.00

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY

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Title	CANE HOLDER
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